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YOSHIYUKI NAMIZUKA ET AL. : EXAMINER: LAMB, T.  
SERIAL NO: 09/551,509 :  
FILED: APRIL 17, 2000 : GROUP ART UNIT: 2622  
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AMENDMENT

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In response to the Official Action mailed July 2, 2003, please amend this application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 13 of this paper.

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☐ No additional fee is required  
☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 is claimed.  
☒ Additional documents filed herewith: IDS/Related/List of Related Cases, Cited Pending Applications (1)

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